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For: PRIMER EXTENSION METHODS FOR  
PRODUCTION OF HIGH SPECIFICITY  
NUCLEIC ACID PROBES

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**TRANSMITTAL OF SEQUENCE LISTING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.821**

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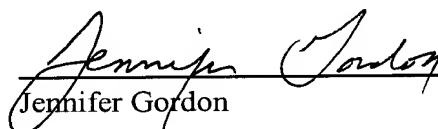
Sir:

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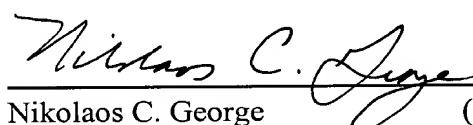
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